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CONTINUING PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL (for Continuing
 Applications under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 72854

First Named Inventor or Application
 Identifier: Egbert
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Box PATENT APPLICATION
 Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
 ATTENTION: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) for
 filing a:

- ☒ Continuation application,
☐ Divisional application,
☐ Continuation-in-Part application,

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Dominic Vesseli
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Dan Russell
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of pending prior application number 09/586,317, filed on 6/2/00 by inventor(s)
Egbert for METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MACHINING HOLES IN CRANKSHAFTS.

1. ☐ This is a continuation or divisional application. Enclosed is a copy of the prior
 application as originally filed, including specification, claims, drawings, and oath or
 declaration.

- or -

- ☒ Enclosed is a patent application (for continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part
 applications) containing:

☒ 19 pages of the specification (including claims and abstract).

☒ 8 sheet(s) of drawings. ☐ Formal ☐ Informal

2. ☒ Drawings:

- ☒ No changes in the drawings, upon which the original patent was issued, are to
 be made. Therefore, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.174(a), please find
 attached, in the size required for original drawings:

☒ a copy of the printed drawings of the patent.

☒ a letter requesting transfer of the drawings from the original patent file to
 this reissued application is attached.

3. ☐ A copy of the executed Oath or Declaration filed in the prior nonprovisional application is enclosed.
4. ☒ Inventorship:
- ☐ A newly-executed Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney is enclosed (for continuation-in-part applications, or for continuation or divisional applications naming an inventor not named in the prior application) (§ 1.63(a), (d)(5) and (e)).
- ☐ Because this application is being filed by fewer than all of the inventors named in the prior application, delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)(1)(2)):
- _____
- _____
- ☒ The names of persons believed to be the actual inventors are set forth in the enclosed unexecuted Oath or Declaration.
5. ☐ An Assignment of the invention to _____, and cover sheet are enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the fee for recording the assignment is enclosed.
6. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to Ingersoll CM Systems, Inc..
7. ☐ Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a)(2)):
- ☐ Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status.
- ☐ Status as a small entity is not claimed.
8. ☐ A 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) statement is enclosed where an assignee seeks to take action.
9. ☐ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
10. ☒ Drawings:
- ☐ Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file. (May be used only if signed by person authorized by § 1.138 and before payment of base issue fee.)
- ☐ New formal drawings are enclosed.

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☐ Informal drawings are enclosed.

11. ☒ A separate written request under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3), which is a general authorization to treat any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for its timely submission as incorporating a petition for an extension of time for the appropriate length of time, is enclosed.
12. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.
- ☐ A Form PTO-1449 is enclosed.
- ☐ _____ References (copies) listed on the Form PTO-1449 are enclosed.
13. ☐ A Computer Program Listing Appendix is enclosed.
- ☐ A Transmittal Cover Letter for Computer Program Listing Appendix is enclosed.
- ☐ Two (2) Compact Discs are enclosed.
14. ☐ A Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission is enclosed.
- ☐ A Computer Readable Copy is enclosed.
- ☐ A Paper Copy (Identical to Computer Copy) is enclosed.
- ☐ A Statement Verifying Identity of above Copies is enclosed.
15. ☒ A Return Receipt Postcard is enclosed (MPEP §503).
16. ☐ Priority of application number _____ filed on _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☐ The certified copy of the priority document has been filed in prior application number _____, filed _____.
- ☐ A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.

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- 17.
- ☒
- Power of Attorney:

☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

☒ James J. Hamill, Registration No. 19,958
 FITCH, EVEN, TABIN & FLANNERY
 Suite 1600
 120 South LaSalle Street
 Chicago, Illinois 60603-3406.
 and other members of the firm.

☐ Customer Number 22242.☐ The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.☐ Since the power does not appear in the original papers in the prior application, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.

- 18.
- ☐
- Cancel in this application original claims _____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)

- 19.
- ☒
- The filing fee is calculated below:

Fee Calculation for Claims as Filed in the Prior Application,
Less Any Claims Cancelled by Amendment

Basic Utility Fee				\$740.00	
Independent Claims	_____	-	3	=	0
				x	\$ 84.00
				=	\$ 0.00
Total Claims	_____	-	20	=	0
				x	\$ 18.00
				=	\$ 0.00
Fee for Multiply Dependent Claims				\$280.00	
or					
Basic Design Fee				\$330.00	
				Total Filing Fee	\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status, reducing the Filing Fee by half to:					\$ 0.00

20. ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
21. ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.
22. ☒ The payment of the Filing Fee is to be deferred until the Declaration is filed. Do not charge our Deposit Account.

23. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. A duplicate copy of this request is enclosed.
24. ☒ Also enclosed:
- (X) Offer to Surrender (unexecuted).
 - (X) Assent of Assignee (unexecuted).
 - (X) Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(B) (unexecuted).
25. ☒ Address all future communications to Customer Number 22242.



January 25, 2002
Date

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) (Signature of person mailing)
Examiner: N/A)

**GENERAL AUTHORIZATION FOR PETITION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3)**

Applicant(s) hereby request under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3) by this general authorization that any concurrent or future reply submitted by Applicant(s) to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for the above-identified patent application requiring a petition for an extension of time under §1.136(a) for its timely submission be treated as incorporating therein a petition for an extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

If Applicant(s) do not timely pay for any extension fee(s) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) which may become due for this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 by check, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee(s), and any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.

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REQUEST FOR TRANSFER OF DRAWINGS
FROM ORIGINAL PATENT TO REISSUE APPLICATION

BOX REISSUE
Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please transfer the drawings from original Patent No. 5,759,140, which was filed on April 19, 1995, for the invention entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MACHINING HOLES IN CRANKSHAFTS, to the reissue application, the specification of which is attached hereto.

FITCH, EVEN, TABIN & FLANNERY

Date: January 25, 2002

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 At Unit: N/A)
 Examiner: N/A) Dominic Cassella
) (Printed name of person mailing)
)
) Dominic Cassella
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OFFER OF SURRENDER

BOX PATENT APPLICATION
 Assistant Commissioner
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 Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

The original Letters Patent No. 5,759,140 was
 surrendered on October 31, 2001 in Application Serial No.
 09/586,317, filed June 2, 2000 and cannot now be
 surrendered.

INGERSOLL CM SYSTEMS, INC.

Dated: _____ By: _____
 Bramwell W. Bone
 Title: President

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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §3.73(B)

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Sir:

This Certificate is being filed in connection with the above-captioned continuation application filed under cover herewith, of application 08/425,943 filed April 19, 1995, now U.S. Patent No. 5,759,140. The reissue filed concurrently herewith is called "the present application" herein.

Ingersoll CM Systems, Inc., a corporation, certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the present application by virtue of:

A chain of title from the inventor, of the present patent application, to the current assignee as shown below:

From James Egbert to Ingersoll CM Systems, Inc. The document was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 7442, Frame 0154 on April 19, 1995.

A copy of the Assignment in the chain of title is attached.

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this certificate on behalf of the Assignee identified above.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like so made, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

INGERSOLL CM SYSTEMS, INC.

Date: _____

By: _____
Bramwell W. Bone

Title: President

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